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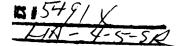
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LTG Edward J. Heinz, USAF Director Intelligence Community Staff 6S03 Community Headquarters Building Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear General Heinz:

Reference is made to a memorandum dated October 1, 1986, the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), requesting participation from your agency in an Intelligence Research and Development Council (IRDC) Study entitled "Research and Development Needs for Counternarcotics Intelligence."

In a fine spirit of cooperation for this important effort, you made available a representative from your agency to assist in this Study. In September 1987, the final results of the Study were submitted by the IRDC in report form to the Deputy Director of Central Intelligence (DDCI). As FBI representative on the IRDC and coordinator of the Study, I would like personally to thank you for the invaluable assistance afforded through your designated representative to the Study Director. Numerous sessions were held during a twelve-month period with the various agency representatives and the dedication reflected on the part of those in attendance is certainly mirrored in the reports final results. Without this effort, it is questionable that we would have been able to fulfill our commitment to the DDCI. For your information, the results of the Study are awaiting final approval for the forthcoming budget submissions and it is hoped favorable action will be taken with regard to the ever-increasing national and international narcotics problem.

On behalf of the Council, I am most grateful for your support in this complex and demanding effort and look forward to future cooperative work with your agency.

Sincerely yours,

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